

# MOUNTAIN ADVOCATE.

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MOTTO:—LIVE FOR OUR FRIENDS—DO THE GREATEST AMOUNT OF GOOD WE CAN TO THE LARGEST NUMBER OF PEOPLE.

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BARBOURVILLE, KENTUCKY, FRIDAY, OCTOBER 7, 1904.

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## KENTUCKY CONFERENCE

Of the Methodist Episcopal Church Adjourned after a very Successful Meeting.

Meeting Largely Attended and Much Interest was Shown.

Union College Receives Liberal Support.

One of the most important meetings in the history of the Methodist Episcopal Conference of Kentucky has just come to a close.

For the past week the town of Barbourville has been alive with Methodist ministers from all parts of the State, here to attend the annual conference and to transact the work that was before that body.

At the meeting of the Board of Education it was agreed that "Speed Hall" should be completed and ready for occupancy by January 1, 1905, and a fund was provided to employ a field secretary whose duty it will be to travel for the college.

The sermon Sunday morning delivered by Bishop Warren was pronounced by all who heard it as being one the ablest and strongest ever delivered here.

Sunday evening the ministers were invited out to fill the pulpits of the sister churches, and all were treated to a good and appreciative audience.

On Monday morning the last session of the conference was held at the close of which the assignments of the ministers for the next year was read out by the Bishop as appears elsewhere.

The visiting ministers were all loud in their praise of the hospitality that was extended to them by the citizens of Barbourville, and in turn the citizens were all highly pleased with the ministers who were assigned to them, as it was frequently heard upon the streets, "We have the nicest preachers of anyone in town," while the preachers were all saying one to the other, "I have the best home in town."

This shows the feeling of Barbourville toward the Methodist preachers, and also the feeling of the ministers toward the people of Barbourville.

The meeting of the Kentucky conference here this year was a God-send to Barbourville, from the fact that the conference was permitted to see how anxious we were to have Union College continued, and the Board of Education very readily and willingly consented to give all the help necessary to the college.

We only voice the sentiments of all the citizens of Barbourville when we say that the invitation is extended to the conference to meet here at any time and the latch string hangs on the outside all the time, and the invitation standing to come back to us any time and we will welcome them to our homes.

We hope to be able to show the conference by the time they make a return visit here how much we appreciate what was done for Union College by having all the necessary improvements completed and the school in perfect order; besides the college should secure control of the vacant lot lying south of the college property and erect suitable buildings such as may be needed for the benefit of the school. This property will be sold court day, and it is to be hoped the college will secure control of it.

## APPOINTMENTS

### Of the Kentucky Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

#### ASHLAND DISTRICT.

|                      |  |          |
|----------------------|--|----------|
| Advance.....         | J. R. Howes, Presiding Elder, 3—P. O. Russell, Ky. | Supplied |
| Ashland.....         | J. C. Shaw   | .....    |
| Ashland Circuit..... | W. H. Davernport                                   | .....    |
| Catlettsburg.....    | C. H. Muse   | .....    |
| Crum.....            | Supplied   | .....    |
| Dorton.....          | Supplied   | .....    |
| East Maysville.....  | J. L. Sturgill                                     | .....    |
| Point.....           | .....  | .....    |
| Eddy.....            | .....  | .....    |
| Flat Gap.....        | .....  | .....    |
| Greenup.....         | .....  | .....    |
| Hannowell.....       | .....  | .....    |
| Louis.....           | .....  | .....    |
| Olive Hill.....      | G. W. Howes  | .....    |
| Paintsville.....     | Cyrus Kiffle                                       | .....    |
| Pikeville.....       | A. L. Williams                                     | .....    |
| Quincy.....          | .....  | .....    |
| Russell.....         | .....  | .....    |
| Salt Lick.....       | V. T. Willis                                       | .....    |
| Salyersville.....    | A. F. Felts  | .....    |
| Toloshoro.....       | .....  | .....    |
| Vanburg.....         | N. H. Young  | .....    |
| Wallingford.....     | A. H. Davis  | .....    |
|                      | Supplied by E. H. Darragh                          |          |

#### COVINGTON DISTRICT.

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|--|----------------------------------|-------|
| F. W. HARROP, Presiding Elder, 3—P. O. Latonia, Ky.  | G. W. Buntton                    | ..... |
| Asbury.....  | Thomas Hanford                   | ..... |
| Augusta.....   | J. A. Colford                    | ..... |
| Bellevue.....  | J. M. Newton                     | ..... |
| Covington: Main street.....  | G. C. Mosher                     | ..... |
| Shingle.....   | J. P. Oliver                     | ..... |
| Union.....   | E. L. Zimmerman                  | ..... |
| West Covington.....  | Amon Boreing and J. W. Zimmerman | ..... |
| Dayton.....  | E. L. Zimmerman                  | ..... |
| Foster.....  | John Cheep                       | ..... |
| Germantown.....  | J. D. Bradford                   | ..... |
| Grant.....   | J. DeBord                        | ..... |
| Harrison.....  | F. L. Creech                     | ..... |
| Latonia.....   | J. G. Dover                      | ..... |
| Ludlow.....  | William Jones                    | ..... |
| Maysville.....   | M. A. Bunker                     | ..... |
| Mt. Olivet.....  | Bird Hughes                      | ..... |
| Newport.....   | O. A. Luce                       | ..... |
| Sardis.....  | W. H. Crain                      | ..... |
| W. R. Springer, Chaplain in United States Army, member of Union Church (Covington) Quarterly Conference. |                                  |       |

#### LEXINGTON DISTRICT.

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|--|-------------------------------|-------|
| E. B. HILL, Presiding Elder, 6—P. O., Somerst, Ky.                                       | Supplied                      | ..... |
| Albany.....  | T. B. Stratton                | ..... |
| Barbourville Circuit.....  | J. A. Bretz                   | ..... |
| Bethel.....  | R. M. Morris                  | ..... |
| Booneville.....  | Supplied by R. M. Morris      | ..... |
| Bethel.....  | Supplied                      | ..... |
| Burnings Springs.....  | J. H. Johnson                 | ..... |
| College Hill.....  | .....                         | ..... |
| Gradyville.....  | .....                         | ..... |
| Gray.....  | .....                         | ..... |
| Harlan.....  | A. P. Wilson                  | ..... |
| Holly Hill.....  | Supplied by Jesse Wilder      | ..... |
| Kingsville.....  | Supplied by G. H. Cannon      | ..... |
| Lexington.....   | George V. Morris              | ..... |
| London.....  | W. G. Bradford                | ..... |
| London Circuit.....  | Supplied by Z. T. Lanham      | ..... |
| Middleburg.....  | Supplied by M. M. Roundtree   | ..... |
| Middleboro and Pineville.....  | Isiah Clinne                  | ..... |
| Monica.....  | Supplied by J. B. Pendergrass | ..... |
| Nicholasville.....   | G. N. Jolly                   | ..... |
| Riley.....   | P. H. Elbright                | ..... |
| Rockcastle.....  | Supplied                      | ..... |
| Science Hill.....  | Supplied                      | ..... |
| Sherman.....   | C. A. Fellows                 | ..... |
| Waynes.....  | Supplied                      | ..... |
| West Bend.....   | T. H. Conney                  | ..... |
| West London.....   | C. T. Stump                   | ..... |
| Williamsburg.....  | J. G. Ragan                   | ..... |
| Woodbine.....  | Supplied by W. H. Brown       | ..... |
| J. P. Faulkner, President of Union College, member of Barbourville Quarterly Conference. |                               |       |

U. S. G. Perkins, member of Middletown Quarterly Conference, left without appointment to attend some of our schools.

#### LOUISVILLE DISTRICT.

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| J. D. WALSH, Presiding Elder, 5—P. O., Louisville, Ky.   | R. T. Holland  | .....          |
| Arlington.....   | Supplied by A. M. Lambert  | To be supplied |
| Beaver Dam.....  | Supplied   | .....          |
| Blackford.....   | Supplied by J. H. Price  | .....          |
| Bowling Green.....   | Supplied by W. T. Wyatt  | .....          |
| Bowling Green Circuit.....   | Supplied by W. H. Foreman  | .....          |
| Deer Lick.....   | Supplied by W. H. Danner   | .....          |
| Dexterville.....   | Supplied by W. H. Calvert  | .....          |
| Erlinton.....  | A. T. Hollingshead   | .....          |
| Greenville.....  | Supplied by J. H. Johnson  | .....          |
| Henderson.....   | Supplied by J. M. Ackman   | .....          |
| Hickory Grove.....   | Supplied by J. W. Calvert  | .....          |
| Leitchfield.....   | A. T. Hollingshead   | .....          |
| Leitchfield: Epworth.....  | Supplied by J. H. Johnson  | .....          |
| Trinity.....   | W. H. Spence   | .....          |
| Wesley.....  | H. G. Odgen  | .....          |
| Morganstown.....   | Supplied by J. M. Ackman   | .....          |
| No Creek.....  | Supplied by J. W. Cannell  | .....          |
| Oldham and Shelbyville.....  | Supplied by J. W. Cannell  | .....          |
| Onton.....   | Supplied by J. W. Cannell  | .....          |
| Owensboro.....   | J. B. Perryman   | .....          |
| Paducah.....   | Supplied by R. A. Cummings   | .....          |
| Sacramento.....  | Supplied by Daniel Critzer   | .....          |
| Sample.....  | Supplied by J. E. L. Moore   | .....          |
| Scotsville.....  | Supplied by E. S. Hollar   | .....          |
| Summit.....  | Supplied by D. P. Holtzman   | .....          |
| Tompkinsville.....   | Supplied by W. B. Walsh  | .....          |
| Vine Grove.....  | Supplied by W. M. Embry  | .....          |
| Woodbury.....  | Supplied by R. I. Watkins, Corresponding Secretary of Conference Board of Education, member Trinity (Louisville) Quarterly Conference. | .....          |
| Ollie G. Ragan, Daniel W. Brown and F. T. Kelly, left without appointment to attend some of our schools. |  |                |

## POINTS

### To be Considered in the Selection of County Officers.

The time is drawing very near when we will be called upon to make a selection of candidates to become officers of our county, and men who will handle the finances of the county for the next four years.

We do not want to make a mistake in this matter; we want to select men who have good judgment, and men who will handle the affairs in a business-like manner, and at the same time lift the county out of the old ruts and put it on a par with the neighboring counties.

This can be done without taxing the people to death.

The records show that in the past those who did the least for the improvement of the county were the ones who had the heaviest tax burden placed upon the tax payers.

The selection of the members of the Fiscal Court should be done with due consideration, and men should be selected who are active, vigorous men, men who will grasp the situation and act for themselves and not wait to be dictated to by another.

The Fiscal Court is provided over by the County Judge, and in making a selection for that position there should be no mistake made, for here the entire selection can be easily spoiled.

The judge of the county in the first place should be a judge of law, and should have the courage of his convictions to carry out the law.

We need county improvements and are entitled to them, and so long as we depend upon the old-time ways of doing, we will continue to barely exist without making any progress in advancement; but if the younger generation is placed in control we will see these improvements come to our county, and at the same time there will be a protection thrown around the tax payer to see that his interests are not disturbed.

The people have become tired of old fogyism and want to get out of the ruts and see Knox county put on a high plain of equality equal to the best counties in the State.

Now the best and only way to accomplish this, is to elect men who are competent and willing to take upon themselves this responsibility, and the work will be accomplished.

There is no need of the younger generation preparing for positions if the older men are to be given a lifetime position in office.

We think that the men who fill our county offices should be men who help to pay the taxes, and then they would be more interested in the way the money is spent.

Now, if that is not reasonable, what is? Voters, think over these matters, and when you go to the polls to cast your vote, think of this one thing.

If I vote to perpetuate a man in office, what show has my boy got to ever succeed in a political way; while upon the other hand if I vote to place the young men of the county in positions of honor and trust, is it not reasonable that my boy may some day secure a position in like manner?

These are points that are dropped to be considered by you, and all for what they are worth, and the voter is left free to act as his own conscience dictates.

Under the law the President

## NEW WORK

### In Richland Oil Field. — Several New Wells Going Down.

During the past few days a great deal of new work has been commenced in the Knox county oil field, and the prospects are good for considerable activity during the next few months.

One of the newest operations is that of the Walden Oil & Refining Co., of Elkhart, Ind. This concern, which a year ago drilled three wells on the Hammonds lease and two on the McDonalds, is striking oil at an average of 550 feet, started to pumping two weeks ago, and they have produced about 200 barrels in that time. The company has a pumping plant with a capacity of six wells.

In an interview with Mr. L. M. Stevenson, field manager of this company, the Advocate reporter was told: "Mr. Arnold and other officers of the company are expected to arrive within a few days and in all probability will arrange for further developments in this field. We think the prospects in this field very bright, and with steady pumping expect an increased production. The Walden company controls 75,000 acres in the Kentucky-Tennessee field."

The National Oil & Development Co. has a new well going down on the Mayes lease, and the prospects for a strike are good. Several wells have been drilled in that territory, which has been fully proven.

The Ken-Vermont Oil Co., a new concern, is operating on the Wages lease and is getting good results. Two wells have been shot and show up for producers.

The Richlands Oil Co., of Ohio, will probably do some drilling on the lease recently purchased from the Badger Oil company.

With advancing prices drilling is expected to be stimulated and \$1.25 oil is predicted by the first of the year.

## POSTMASTER GENERAL

Henry C. Payne Died Last Tuesday Evening in Washington.

The Death Angel has invaded the President's Cabinet and has removed one of the greatest men of the age, in the person of Henry C. Payne, the Postmaster General.

Gen. Payne was born in Massachusetts sixty-one years ago, and first entered politics in 1872 and had worked his way almost to the top of the ladder of fame.

Mr. Payne was selected for Postmaster General by President McKinley in the summer of 1901 and assumed the duties of the office on January 18, 1902, under appointment from President Roosevelt.

In succession to Mr. Payne, George Bruce Cortelyou, former Secretary of the Department of Commerce and Labor and now chairman of the Republican National Committee, will become Postmaster General.

It is the understanding now that Mr. Cortelyou will assume the duties of Postmaster General as soon as he conveniently can after the close of the pending campaign. In the interim the responsibilities of directing the affairs of the Post-office Department will devolve on Mr. Wynne, who has just returned from a long vacation in Europe. He will continue as Acting Postmaster General until such time as the President may designate formally the successor to Mr. Payne.

Under the law the President is required to make such an appointment within thirty days.

## CAMPAIGN

### Committee Organized to Manage the National Campaign Knox County in Connection with County Committee.

Last Saturday afternoon a goodly number of Republicans met at the Court-house and proceeded to organize a Campaign Committee who will work in conjunction with the County Committee in getting out the vote of Knox county for the National ticket.

County Attorney Jesse D. Tugge was unanimously elected as chairman, and D. W. Clark Secretary of the committee. Thos. D. Tinsley was elected Assistant Secretary, and J. M. Robison, Treasurer.

The future plans of the work were discussed fully and an outline of plans formulated.

A committee was appointed to draft a By-Laws for the organization.

## Commissioner's Sale.

John M. Tinsley, Ex. of estate, of Mrs. M. P. Dowis, deceased, Plif. Vs.

W. B. Anderson Jr. Dora Davis, Cora Dowis, A. Y. Anderson, Ada J. Tinsley, Finley B. Anderson, Gale S. Dowis, Elizabeth Benge, and Thurza Widle; and A. M. Decker, G. H. Wilson, Wm. Lock, Joseph Miller and L. H. Jarvis, trustees of the M. E. church, of Barbourville, Kentucky, Defendants.

By virtue of a Judgment of the Knox Circuit court, entered in the above-sued action, there is a sale pending. I will sell at public auction to the highest and best bidder, on a credit of six months, at the door of the Court-house in Barbourville, Ky. on MONDAY OCTOBER 24, 1904.

About the hour of 1 o'clock p. m. the following described property:

A tract of land lying in the city of Barbourville, Knox County, Kentucky, on College street, and bounded substantially as follows: on the west by Union College grounds; on the east by lands of S. B. Dismann; on the south by S. B. Dismann's residence lot; on its west by College street, and known as the old Anderson grave yard lot, containing two and one half acres.

The purchaser will give bond with good security bearing interest from date having the force and effect of a judgment, with a lien reserved upon said lot until the money is fully paid.

W. F. WESTERFIELD, Com. Knox Circuit Court. This Oct. 3, 1904. oct. 7-3.

## ORDINANCE.

The Board of Council o the City of Barbourville, Ky., do Ordain as follows:

1. That the supplemental days of registration for said city shall be as follows:—The first Saturday after the second Tuesday in October of each year.

2. That if any person who is necessarily absent from the city of his residence on the day of general registration, or who was ill on said day or was prevented from so registering by any unavoidable cause or sickness of any member or members of his family, may appear at the place of registration on either of the supplemental days of registration and be registered as if he had appeared on the regular registration day; provided the person or persons so registered and said day shall make affidavit as provided by law that he was for one or all causes set out above prevented from registering on the regular registration day.

3. That the expense of the registration of supplemental registration days shall be paid out of the funds of the city. Approved.

H. C. COLE, Mayor.

Thos. D. TINSLEY, City Clerk

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## A WORD TO CANDIDATES.

We will insert your name and the Office to which you aspire, in the proper place in this paper, and carry the same continuously until the Party Nominees are chosen, for the various offices as follows:

|                           |         |
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## REPUBLICAN TICKET.

For President of the United States  
HON. THODORE ROOSEVELT,  
of New York.

For Vice President,  
HON. CHARLES W. FAIRBANKS,  
of Indiana.

For Congress  
HON. D. C. EDWARDS,  
of Laurel County.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS.

### FOR COUNTY JUDGE.

We are authorized to announce  
J. S. MILLER,  
as a candidate for re-election to the office of  
County Judge of Knox county, subject to the  
action of the Republican primary, Nov. 12, 1904.

We are authorized to announce  
J. T. STAMPER,  
as a candidate for the office of County Judge  
of Knox county, subject to the action of the  
Republican primary, Nov. 12, 1904.

We are authorized to announce  
T. J. WYATT,  
as a candidate for the office of County Judge  
of Knox county, subject to the action of the  
Republican primary, Nov. 12, 1904.

FLEM D. SAMPSON,  
is a candidate for the office of  
COUNTY JUDGE of Knox county, subject to  
the action of the Republican primary, Nov. 12, 1904.

FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY.  
We are authorized to announce  
W. R. LAY

as a candidate for the office of County Attorney  
of Knox county, subject to the action of the  
Republican primary, Nov. 12, 1904.

FOR SHERIFF.  
Having been requested and willing to accept, I hereby announce myself a candidate  
for the office of Sheriff of Knox county, subject  
to the action of the Republican primary, Nov. 12, 1904.

S. C. EARLY.

We are authorized to announce  
W. F. DOZIER  
as a candidate for the office of Sheriff of  
Knox county, subject to the action of the  
Republican primary, Nov. 12, 1904.

We are authorized to announce  
DAN H. WILLIAMS,  
as a candidate for the office of Sheriff of  
Knox county, subject to the action of the  
Republican primary, Nov. 12, 1904.

FOR COUNTY COURT CLERK.  
We are authorized to announce  
WILLIE McDONALD

as a candidate for the office of County Court  
Clerk of Knox county, subject to the action  
of the Republican primary, Nov. 12, 1904.

We are authorized to announce  
J. L. SILER

as a candidate for the office of County Court  
Clerk of Knox county, subject to the action  
of the Republican primary, Nov. 12, 1904.

We are authorized to announce  
G. P. BAIN

as a candidate for the office of County Court  
Clerk of Knox county, subject to the action  
of the Republican primary, Nov. 12, 1904.

We are authorized to announce  
C. C. SMITH,

as a candidate for the office of County Court  
Clerk of Knox county, subject to the action  
of the Republican primary, Nov. 12, 1904.

We are authorized to announce  
W. H. GRACE,

as a candidate for the office of Magistrate of the First District  
subject to the action of the Republican  
Primary Nov. 12, 1904.

them in cold blood, should they  
desire to resist the indecent proposals,  
it is time for the better element of  
citizenship of Kentucky to aroused  
and see the situation as it exists and  
rise up in their might and stamp it  
out by voting such men to private life.

What is the need of taxing our people  
and conducting trial courts to  
secure conviction of such heinous  
criminals, and then have our chief  
executives turn them out without  
consulting anyone as to the pro-  
priety of such a thing.

Bill Thorne attempts to apologize  
and plays the baby act, but the public  
will not accept any such “tommy  
rot” as a satisfactory excuse, for  
liberating such a notorious criminal  
as Clem Butcher, besides if the prison  
physician can be relied upon, Thorne  
lied when he wrote the statement on  
the pardon, and knew at the time  
that it was a lie.

THE Scott County Democrat, Vol.  
1, No. 1, has made its appearance  
from the office of the Georgetown  
News, Bro. B. O. Gains being the  
editor of both papers. The new  
paper is a neatly printed 9-column  
sheet and, like the News, is well re-  
presented by the advertisers of George-  
town.

The first thing that attracted our  
attention upon opening the paper  
was the motto which Bro. Gains had  
borrowed from the MOUNTAIN  
ADVOCATE “Live for our Friends;  
Do the greatest amount of good we  
can to the largest number of People.”

We have no objection to Bro.  
Gains using our motto and we wish  
for the Democrat abundant success  
and may the coffers of its editor in-  
crease abundant.

THE Local Option people at Grays  
scored quite a victory last Friday in  
the election, the vote being 31 in  
favor of the license to 237 against it.  
According to this test there is a  
very slim prospect of whisky being  
licensed in Knox county.

Now that the Board of Education of  
the State Conference of the Methodist  
church have decided to put their  
shoulder to the wheel and give Old  
Union College a lift, wouldn’t it be  
a capital idea for Barbourville to buy  
the Dowis lot and give it to the college  
to show our appreciation of  
what the Board proposes to do for us?

A little ad in the ADVOCATE  
may bring you big results. Try  
it and be convinced.

FOR JAILER.  
We are authorized to announce  
W. M. MITCHELL  
as a candidate for the office of Jailer of Knox  
county, subject to the action of the  
Republican primary, Nov. 12, 1904.

We are authorized to announce  
G. N. BUCHANNAN,  
as a candidate for the office of Jailer of Knox  
county, subject to the action of the  
Republican primary, Nov. 12, 1904.

We are authorized to announce  
NATHAN B. PARKER  
as a candidate for the office of Jailer of Knox  
county, subject to the action of the  
Republican primary, Nov. 12, 1904.

We are authorized to announce  
C. L. HARBIN,  
as a candidate for the office of Jailer of Knox  
county, subject to the action of the  
Republican primary, Nov. 12, 1904.

We are authorized to announce  
HIRAM YEAR,

as a candidate for the office of  
Magistrate of the third Magisterial  
District of Knox county, subject to the action  
of the Republican primary, Nov. 12, 1904,  
and if successful will stand by the people  
of his district.

THE pardoning by Acting Governor  
Thorne of Clem Butcher, the noted  
Louisville criminal, who should have  
been hung for his dastardly crime,  
for which the public has been severely  
criticising the Acting Governor,  
even outstrips the pardoning of  
Raleigh some months ago by Mr.  
Beckham, and which is still fresh in  
the minds of the reading public.

We think that when our State of-  
ficials turn loose such men from be-  
hind the prison walls as our Governor  
and Lieutenant Governor have  
done men who have no respect for  
the gentler sex, but who will mur-  
der

# L. & N. Local Time Card IN EFFECT APRIL 1, 1904.

| No. 81     | No. 82     | Trains do not stop at station where no time is shown. | No. 83      | No. 84      |
|------------|------------|---|-------------|-------------|
| 8:15 a. m. | 8:22 p. m. | Corbitt   | 10:30 a. m. | 11:30 p. m. |
| 8:20 a. m. | 8:23 p. m. | Grays   | 10:35 a. m. | 11:35 p. m. |
| 8:25 a. m. | 8:24 p. m. | Barbourville  | 9:37 a. m.  | 10:32 p. m. |
| 8:30 a. m. | 8:25 p. m. | Artemesia   | 9:39 a. m.  | 10:35 p. m. |
| 8:35 a. m. | 8:26 p. m. | De Lick   | 9:42 a. m.  | 10:38 p. m. |
| 8:40 a. m. | 8:27 p. m. | Pineville   | 8:38 a. m.  | 10:40 p. m. |
| 8:45 a. m. | 8:28 p. m. | Ferndale  | 8:42 a. m.  | 10:42 p. m. |
| 8:50 a. m. | 8:29 p. m. | Middlesboro   | 8:45 a. m.  | 9:40 p. m.  |

Leave your Laundry At this Office  
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Lexington, - - - Ky.

## OUR CLUBBING OFFER.

As this is Presidential year and  
everybody is interested in the  
National Election and want to get the  
news, we have made special arrangements  
with the Louisville Herald to give the following offer:

MOUNTAIN ADVOCATE, weekly  
one year, and the Louisville  
Herald, daily, both one year  
for \$2.50.

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day Herald..... \$4.00

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both one year..... \$1.30

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I have just received a new and complete stock of

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Which I expect to sell in connection with my other business. Should it be your misfortune to need any goods of this description, please give me an opportunity of quoting you before you purchase. I have placed this department in the hands of an experienced man, who will attend to your wants carefully.

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| Highest patent flour                    | .80    |
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| Good bulk roasted coffee                | .12½   |
| Choice bulk roasted coffee              | .15    |
| 17 lbs. granulated sugar                | \$1.00 |
| 18 lbs. light brown sugar               | 1.00   |
| 22 lbs. medium brown sugar              | 1.00   |
| Marion's ½ gal. jars                    | .60    |
| Extra good webb halters                 | .15    |
| 1½ in. double hip stropharness          | 5.00   |
| Good harness as low as                  | 2.75   |
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| Best grind stone                        | .75    |
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| Barb wire 100 lbs. for                  | 3.00   |
| Smooth wire 100 lbs. for                | 2.75   |
| Wire nails 4's and up, keg.             | .25    |
| 5 ft. high wire fence per ft.           | .03    |
| 4½ ft. high wire fence per ft.          | .025   |
| Window glass all sizes at               |        |
| prices to suit all                      |        |
| Nice water bottles                      | .10    |
| Nice vinegar bottles                    | .10    |
| Nice Pickle dishes                      | .05    |
| Table plates per set                    | .30    |
| Tea cups and saucers per set            | .15    |
| Tea caddy and per set                   | .35    |
| Extra nice 9 in. glass bowls            | .10    |
| Extra nice 5 in. glass bowls            | .05    |
| Everything in my line dirt cheap.       |        |
| Come and see me whether you buy or not. |        |

R. W. COLE.

## LOCALS.

Now let's see who has the finest corn.

Only four more weeks until the election.

See the Sample Corn proposition in this issue.

Quarterly Court has been in session this week.

There are a few old roosters still left in Barboursville.

Water is becoming scarce here now and rain is badly needed.

Larkin Miller is erecting a new stock barn on Wall Street

Bring in your sample corn. It may be worth \$2.50 in gold to you.

The candidates are becoming very anxious about their future welfare.

If you have a dozen good ears of corn bring them in they may bring you \$2.50 in gold.

The preachers have all returned to their respective homes, and the chickens can now roost on the lower limbs again.

Registration day turned out well here, and almost every voter in town came to the polls and registered last Tuesday.

Dr. Jolly and family will leave next Monday for their new home at Nicholasville, where he has been located by the conference, while Rev. T. B. Stratton will succeed him here.

Misses Millward, Dickinson and Tye, Messrs. Black, Anderson and Dishman, chaperoned by Mrs. S. T. Davidson, went up on the afternoon train to Ely Tuesday afternoon, returning that night.

Rev. G. N. Jolly will preach at the Methodist church here Sunday morning for the new pastor, and will have charge of the services of baptism in the afternoon at the river, when Mrs. Harper will be baptized.

Col. Ward P. Sherman, Chicago, spoke last Tuesday afternoon at the Court-house in the interest of the National Republican ticket. He was met by a fairly good audience, who were well pleased with the address.

The following crowd left Monday for the World's Fair: Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Barner and Miss Nora Barber; Alex Vaughn, W. F. Costello, Miss Clarence Albright, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Tinsley and Mrs. Flora Anderson.

Mr. Richard Hampton, aged 48 years, died at Swan Pond on the 30th of last month. He was a very prominent citizen and leaves a wife and five children. His absence will be greatly missed in the community where he lived. His funeral was supplied by the principle undertaker, A. W. Hopper, of Barboursville.

## PERSONALS.

R. O. Allen has begun housekeeping on Main Street.

Mrs. J. S. Runyon is suffering with a rising on her hand.

Judge H. C. Faulkner is holding court at London this week.

Henry Bowman will leave next Saturday for the World's Fair.

Ollie G. Ragan, of Williamsburg, matriculated at Union College Tuesday.

Best grind stone

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Barb wire 100 lbs. for

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Wire nails 4's and up, keg.

5 ft. high wire fence per ft.

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## A Card of Thanks.

The hearty thanks of the M. E. church are extended by the pastor and members to the citizens of Barboursville and the members of the sister churches for the kind and hospitable manner in which they assisted in entertaining the members of the Kentucky Annual Conference.

## ANNOUNCEMENT.

To VOTERS OF THE ELEVENTH DISTRICT, represented by the Delegate to Congress at Session, August 20th, to be voted for November, and Representatives of the Eleventh district in Congress. If elected I will owe the honor to the voters of Republic and Independents as well as Democrats and all in the district to myself to be the official representative of all the people composing this great district.

Geo. E. STONE,  
Monticello, Wayne County.

## ORDINANCE.

The Board of Council of the City of Barboursville, Ky., do Ordain as follows:

That Section No. 54 of the Ordinance said City be amended as follows: That whenever any horse, cow, calf, yearling, pig, hog, sheep, or any other property be taken up, off the streets, alleys, commons or squares of said city, the Marshal or Policeman taking up said stock shall post at once in three consecutive places in said city a description of said stock and amount of fees required for the redemption of same for five days. When said stock is taken up and notices are posted as provided, the Marshal shall report same to the Police Officer of said city and the Police Officer shall, after the five days' notice aforesaid, bear evidence, and from same shall determine if said cattle were lawfully taken up; and the notices posted as aforesaid, and shall decree the sale of said cattle after three notices posted in three public places of said city not less than five days. And if before that time the owner of said stock shall not appear and prove his ownership of said stock or property, pay the fees assessed against same, said stock or property shall be sold as aforesaid. And if at any sale of any stock or property herein provided same shall be sold for an amount greater than the fees for advertising and for earning for same, together with the expense of advertising and cost of defense, the remainder shall be paid into the city treasury for the benefit of the owner. If such owner, within six months after the day of any such sale, come and prove said stock as his own, the treasurer shall thereupon pay to such owner any money due by reason of said sale. But after any such property or stock shall have been advertised as herein provided there shall be no redemption for same, and the owner or any claimant shall forever be debarred from taking into his possession said stock or property again.

This law shall become effective and be in full force and effect from and after its passage and publication.

Approved.

H. C. COLE, Mayor.  
Attest:  
THOS. D. TINSLEY, City Clerk.

## FARMS FOR SALE.

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Crude Thoughts as they Fall from the Editorial Pen. Pleasant Evening Reveries.

## THE HOME CIRCLE COLUMN.

A Column Dedicated to Tired Mothers as they for the Home Circle at Evening Tide.

### AN OLD-FASHIONED WOMAN.

No clever, brilliant thinker she. With college record and degree She has not known the paths of fame.

The world has never spoke her name. She walks in old, long trodden ways. The valleys of the yesterdays.

Home is her kingdom, love her bower; She seeks no other wands of power, To make home sweet, bring heaven near.

To win a smile and wipe a tear, And her duty day by day, In her own quiet place and way, Around her childish hearts are twined

As round some reverend saint shrined, And following her the childlike feet Are lead to ideals true and sweet, And find all purity and good In her divinest motherhood.

This sad old earth's a brighter place All for the sunshine of her face, Her very smile a blessing throws, And hearts are happier where she goes.

A gentle, clear-eyed messenger To whisper love; than's God for her.

FAULT FINDING.

A man would get a very false notion of his standing among his friends and acquaintances if it were possible—as many would like to have it possible—to know what is said of him behind his back. One day he would go about in a glow of self esteem, and the next he would be bowed under a miserable sense of misapprehension and disgust. It would have been impossible for him to put this and that together and "strike an average." The fact is, there is a strange human tendency to take the present friend into present confidence. With strong natures this tendency proves often a stumbling block; with weak natures it amounts to fickleness.

Never employ yourself to discover the faults of others—look to your own. You had better find out one of your own faults than ten of your neighbors. When a thing does not suit you think of some pleasant quality in it. There is nothing so bad as might be. Whenever you catch yourself in a fault-finding remark, say some approving one in the same breath, and you will soon be cured. Some of the best of us have too many infirmities to answer for, says Dean Swift; we ought not to be too severe upon those of others; and, therefore, if our brother is in trouble, we ought to help him without inquiring over seriously what produced it. True worth does not exist in the faults of others; as true refinement turns away from grossness and deformity, instead of being tempted to indulge in an unmanly triumph over it.

IT would be well if, not only in looking at our own condition, but at other people we set out the sparkle instead of the gloom. With five hundred faults of our own, we ought to let somebody else have at least one. When there is such excellent hunting on our own ground, let us not rifle and greyhound pack spend all our time in scouring our neighbor's lowlands. We are afraid the imperfection of other people may kill us. Let them be good, like the sun, to find light wherever we look.

WE often think that the very rich must be very happy, but riches bring neither happiness or content.

The most perfect serenity is found with those who have learned to limit their desires, rather than with those who have unlimited means of gratifying their desires. To possess a home and those in it, who love us, to have health and money enough to satisfy our actual wants—these are the elements absolutely necessary to a contented life. The man who has a field to plow and plans a

better chance for health and happiness than the man who seeks by gout and other social diversions to get the exercise and development that the Lord meant he should obtain by labor. It is good to labor. It is good to be obliged to labor. Necessity forces us to do many things that are all day to pick.

IDLENESS is an ingredient in the upper current, which was scarcely known and countenanced, in the good old linsey woolen, tow and linen, mush and milk, pork and potato times of the revolutionary patriots and their pilgrim fathers. Misfortune, Fatigue, and Disaster are the professors; kicks, cuffs and blows are the curriculum; the day we leave the world is our graduation; some sit down and cry; some turn their faces to the wall and point; others stand up and conquer. Happy the bee that even under leaden skies looks for blossoming flowers. Wise the fowl that, instead of standing in the snows with one foot drawn up under the wing, ceases not all day to pick.

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## CORRESPONDENCE.

### NOTICE TO CORRESPONDENTS.

All correspondents who write for this paper are requested to report the news briefly and confine themselves to news. Puffs for merchants come under the head of paid locals, and would be inserted at the rate of 5 cents per line, otherwise we must pencil them.

Be careful not to write anything that will prove offensive to any one; a good joke is appreciated by all, but we want to make friends and not enemies of all with whom we come in contact.

Write only one side of your paper and be sure to sign your own name to the manuscript—not for publication but for future reference and to show good faith—a failure to do this will hereafter necessarily consign your letters to the waste basket.

Please read these notes and bear them in mind, and write on one side of the paper only.

Respectfully,  
THE EDITOR.

### Bailey's Switch.

J. H. Black, of Crane's Nest, was in Louisville last week and purchased a large stock of dry goods.

Miss Mattie Jarvis, of Jarvis' Store, who was in the Southern R. R. wreck near Hodges, Tenn., returned last week with a broken arm.

Mr. and Mrs. Matt Frederie, of Walls Ends, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kinder at this place Sunday.

Mr. Howard Carter, of Michigan, is here this week visiting his father, J. H. Carter.

S. M. Bennett, of Goin, Whitley county, was here Saturday visiting relatives.

W. F. Dozier and Thos. Parrot were on Stinking Creek last week in the interest of their candidacy.

J. M. Gilbert, of Barberville, was at New Bethel church Sunday.

Sherman Dozier, of Walls End, was here Sunday visiting relatives.

Mrs. E. Hutchins, who has been on the sick list for the past month, is some better at this writing, and can sit up part of the time.

Mrs. Nannie Taylor and her daughter, Mary, and son, Emmett, are visiting relatives in Tennessee this week.

Dan Grace was in Corbin Saturday on business.

E. S. Trosper is in Whitley county this week on business.

W. S. TAYLOR.

### Cannon.

We had some frost Wednesday morning.

We were very sorry to hear of the death of Mr. D. G. Colson, as he was our friend and kin-folks.

Will Martin and wife, of near Jarvis' Store, were visiting Mrs. Martin's father at Cannon Sunday.

There was no trustee elected at Sinking Valley last Saturday.

People are about through fondering, and corn is not as good as we thought it would be.

H. C. Cannon has completed his new storehouse and is going into the dry goods business.

GRIT.

### Flat Lick.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Coone are in Cincinnati buying goods this week.

Will Harkness has been visiting relatives at this place for several days.

Miss Bessie Wyatt, of Barberville, spent Sunday with her aunt, Mrs. Bargo.

Miss Rillie Hubbard, of Corbin, is the guest of her brother, Green Hubbard.

Mrs. J. N. Archer and Miss Mary Cecil made a flying trip to Barberville last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Kinkaid left Friday morning for Lafollette, Tenn., where they expect to make their future home.

D. W. Slusher is erecting his new residence on Main street.

Last Saturday school election was held, and Slusher won by 55 to 22.

We suppose Postmaster G. M. Smith will hardly expect D. C. Edwards to endorse him for reappointment again, as he fought him with such a large club.

CHERRY PIE.

### Himyar.

Well, well! Mr. Editor, here comes the little Himyar man knocking at your door again, and if I don't go into the waste basket, I may visit you often.

Our little town is improving, and everybody enjoys reading the Advocate, for it is the only paper in Knox county that defends the cause we love—Republincanism.

There was a big lively walkover at the Flat Lick schoolhouse last Saturday afternoon.

Whoop! ral! rah!

Thirty to ten!

Flat Lick! Flat Lick!

Boys where have you been? Only down to Himyar;

Thirty to ten.

The Turkey creek ball team was defeated by the Himyar boys last Saturday by a score of 52 to 3 in favor of Himyar.

J. F.

### Ola, Ky.

Stephen Jenkins passed through this place last Friday for the burg on important business.

Chas. Blair, of Carr's Fork, Knott county, passed through Ola Monday for Engine creek after goods, but by his horse being sick, he returned home Friday, leaving his wagon.

John Bergie was shot and killed a few days ago by Tandy Martin. The only witness to the deed was Ragan Collins. Bertie had attempted to use a knife on a citizen, when Martin commanded peace, and at the same time pulled a pistol, went away and returned with a steel ball gun and conversed with the proprietor a few minutes; he suddenly jumped to his feet and shot Bergie through the head. Bergie picked up a revolver, fired one shot at Martin and missed him, then died without uttering a word. The murderer walked to his home un molested. The village marshal and several deputies guarded the house. The sheriff arrived from Hindman two hours after the killing was done, and found Martin asleep and placed him under arrest and took him back to Hindman.

Bergie was thirty-six years of age and recently retired from farming to ramble. He was considered a good citizen. He leaves a widow and two children.

Chas. Haynes, together with his brother, have returned from Frankfort, where they have been on business.

WHITE ROSE.

A Tullion Certificate on the Bryant & Stratton Business College of Louisville, Ky.

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### THE NATIONAL

IS EXPECTING A GOOD WELL IN THIS WEEK ON THE MAYES FARM.

The National Oil and Development Company, of Chicago, who are operating on the Mayes farm near here, are expecting to bring in another good well to-day on that lease.

Mr. N. J. Daleiden, the Secretary of the company, was a caller at this office yesterday and gave us the information that the well now being drilled will be completed to-day, and the indications are favorable for a good well.

The editor has been invited out to see the new well come in, and if we get to witness the sight we will give a more extensive account of it in our next issue.

Keep an eye on Knox county; there is plenty of oil here yet, and another "boom" is sure to come.

### MAMMOTH STORE

Headquarters for Dry Goods, Groceries, Meats, Hardware, etc. Our line of Dry Goods is complete with all the newest things in Dress Goods, Calicoes and Muslins. The prices are the lowest that can be made and are not duplicated in this section.

Look at a few of the prices and be convinced:

Heavy Brown Sheeting 4cts, and up Standard Calico.....4cts, and up Extra Bleach Cotton...5cts, and up Clark O. N. T. Thread...6 spools 25¢

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Our Millinery department has the service of a lady who has had five seasons experience in the millinery business, and will be pleased to show you all the latest creations in hats and bonnets. The prices are low as the lowest, if not lower.

OUR TAILOR-MADE SUITS for ladies are beauties, and the price so low that you can not resist buying when you see them. We also carry a fine line of Stylish Skirts and Waists, Tourist's Costs and Cloaks.

In our Grocery and in our Hardware departments you will find everything that you need, and at very reasonable prices. Agent for Ballard & Ballard Co., Flour, wholesale and retail.

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